Mission Statement . . .

To provide comprehensive evaluations and consultations for children and adolescents who exhibit a variety of behavioral and psychiatric problems. Our goal is to provide the most clinically effective and least restrictive level of care.

Hours of Operation ...

Monday-Friday 7:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Contact Us ...

Darnall Hospital, 5th Floor, 5-West Ward
Phone (254) 288-8731
Facsimile (254) 286-7814

After Duty Hours ...

After duty hours, weekends, and training and federal holidays, psychiatric emergency services for children/adolescents are available through the Darnall Army Community Hospital Emergency Room, 288-8114/8113 and Metroplex Hospital, (254) 519-8195.



Helpful Phone Numbers ...

On-Post

ADAPCP
Army Community Service 287-2943
DACH Emergency Room 288-8113
DACH Information Desk 288-8000
Family Violence Hotline 287-2253
Fort Hood Chaplains 287-HELP
Legal Assistance 287-7901
Mental Health Activity 286-7813
Military Police 287-2176
New Parent Support 287-2286
Social Work Services 288-6474

Off-Post Child Abuse/Neglect

Killeen	526-9011
Copperas Cove	547-4286
24-Hour Hotline 1-80	0-252-5400
Families in Crisis (FAC)	634-8309
FAC Hotline1-80	0-373-2774

Spouse Abuse/Neglect

Families in Crisis (FAC)		634-8309
FAC Hotline	1-800-	-373-2774

Local Police Departments

Killeen Police	526-8311
Copperas Cove	547-4272
Harker Heights	699-7600
Belton	939-8311
Temple	770-5510
Lampasas	556-6235



Public Affairs Office
Darnall Army Community Hospital
Fort Hood, Texas 76544-4752
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Psychiatry Evaluation Service (CAPES)





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Eligibility. . .

Services are available for children and adolescents (infant to 18 years old) of active duty and retired service members who are enrolled in DEERS and are TRICARE eligible.

Referrals...

Referrals from the various clinics, schools, and legal system are acceptable.

Services...

• Triage (Parents Only)

We perform a screening and classification to determine the priority of need for psychiatric care. Upon completion of required forms, a triage counselor does a brief evaluation of the problem and provides any additional paperwork or forms. The triage counselor provides an appointment with a clinician for a comprehensive evaluation and to gather information for definitive treatment recommendations.

- Crisis Intervention
- Psychosocial Evaluations
- Psychological Testing
- Psychiatric Consultations
- In-patient Admission/Referrals
- Medication Assessments
- Short Term Treatment

Services Provided By...

Services are provided by knowledgeable staff of:

- Child Psychiatrists
- Clinical Psychologists
- Clinical Social Workers

Support Groups...

Attention Deficit/Hyperactivity Disorder (ADHD) Group Tuesday, 4:15 - 5:30 p.m.

This group is for children who have ADHD. A CAPES therapist provides age appropriate information about ADHD and how to cope with the disorder. Games and activities focus on social skills, patience, listening, planning ahead, self-esteem, and other areas that usually give ADHD children and adolescents problems.

Attention Deficit/Hyperactivity Disorder (ADHD) Psychoeducational Group for Parents Tuesday, 4:15 - 5:30 p.m.

Depending on the desires of the group members, the group facilitator presents basic to advanced information about ADHD and treatments. This affords parents the opportunity to meet other parents of ADHD children and to discuss specific concerns. Individuals who do not have children attending the ADHD Group for children are still invited to attend the ADHD Parent Group.

Adolescent Support Group Wednesday, 4:15 - 5:30 p.m.

This group is a forum for adolescents to discuss pressing issues and to gain insight into themselves and others. This unique approach focuses, but is not limited to the following issues:

• Personal/interpersonal relationships



Anger Management Group (Children) Thursday, 4:15 - 5:30 p.m.

This group is for children who have difficulty dealing with their anger. The group facilitator provides games and activities that focus on anger control, problem solving, journaling, and self-esteem.

Psychoeducational Group on Anger Management for Parents Thursday, 4:15 - 5:30 p.m.

This is an education and support group for parents. Participants discuss family dynamics, communication skills, and problem solving. This is an opportunity for parents to meet with other parents and brainstorm about specific concerns.

